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COUNTY TRUSTEES HOLD ANNUAL MEET AT IRVINGTON

INSTITUTE, PROGRAM
& BUSINESS MEETING
FEATURE MONDAY EVENT

IRVINGTON — Principal Jack Prouty, trustees and teachers of the Irvington Grammar School entertained the Alameda County Trustees Association at its annual meeting here Monday. The affair began with an institute conducted by County Superintendent Edgar E. Muller in the afternoon and closed with a program and business meeting after the dinner which was served by Mrs. Caroline Brown and Mrs. Bessie Olace of the local cafeteria staff, assisted by the teachers.

Leon R. Hess of Albany was elected president succeeding Glen V. Pierce of Pleasanton and J. R. Silveria of Irvington was named secretary-treasurer. Speakers at the evening meeting were John J. Allen of Oakland who discussed school legislation and Dr. C. Meryl Bish, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Thornburg gave a piano duet and Miss Barbara Root gave a trombone solo.

—Afternoon Program

The afternoon program included the following: Mixed chorus from the Ashland school with Paul Becker directing; "Introducing the Eskimo," primary department of Irvington School with Mrs. Leila M. Oliveira in charge; rhythm band from Summit School, directed by Mrs. Denise B. Minoggio; a radio broadcast and original play by the eighth grade pupils at Irvington, directed by Jack Prouty; tonette demonstration by Pleasanton pupils directed by Harry Tripp and "A unit of soil conservation" by the sixth and seventh grades at the Irvington School directed by Miss Irma T. Bond.

Members of the county superintendent's office participating were as follows: "The Use of the Audiometer," J. L. Bunker; "Visual Aids," Lorene Killey; "Problems of One-Two-Teacher Schools," Nelle M. Mead; "The Testing Program," Mrs. Floy Rainsback; "Teaching American Ideals," Mrs. Ethel S. Ward; "The Special Subjects, Art and Music," Mrs. Mae Harville.

NEWARK BOY JOINS U. S. NAVY

James R. Lankford has been accepted for enlistment in the U. S. Navy and will leave soon for his seven weeks training at the Naval Training Station at San Diego. Lankford is the son of Mrs. Emma Lankford, 643 Ash street, Newark. He is a graduate of Washington Union High school.

For information regarding enlistments in the U. S. Navy see your local recruiting officer W. S. Smith at 453 Main street in Niles on Friday each week.

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TOTAL RAINFALL

The total rainfall for this district from January 1 to December 31, 1940 was 27.87 inches according to accurate records kept by Roland Bendel who lives between Decoto and Niles.

TURKEY DINNER NEXT THURSDAY AT NILES CHURCH

Another one of the famous men's dinner, turkey this time, will be served by the men of the Niles Congregational church next Thursday evening, Chairman Fred Duffie announces.

There will be two settings of the tables, one at 6 p.m. and one at 7 p.m. and the tickets are marked for the first or second sitting, so that there will be no waiting and no congestion.

Tickets may be obtained in advance from any of the young people of the church. The Washington's Birthday motif will be used in the decorations.

Members of the choir will have rugs and candy on sale, the proceeds to go towards building up a music fund.

BANK REQUESTED TO STAY OPEN OVER NOON HOUR

It was voted at Monday's meeting of the Niles Chamber of Commerce that a letter be written to the Central Bank in Niles requesting that they re-arrange their working hours or hire additional help so that the bank can be kept open over the noon hour for the convenience of customers. Business men located near the bank assert they do a mild banking business of their own, cashing checks for people during the banks closed hour.

ROTARY, LIONS CLUBS TO MEET TUESDAY AT CENTERVILLE CAFE

CENTERVILLE — The Niles Rotary Club has been invited to a joint meeting with the Centerville Lions next Tuesday night at the Black and White restaurant when Hugh Matier of the Alaska-Panama highway will be the speaker.

Ezra Decoto was the speaker last week with Robert Blacow as program chairman. Decoto spoke on friendship and told of early days in Washington Township where he once lived. He mentioned the importance of friendships formed in college where students are chosen for the quality of their minds and where many valuable contacts for later life can be made.

DEDICATORY SERVICE

CENTERVILLE — Bishop Karl Morgan Block of San Francisco will conduct a dedicatory service at St. James Episcopal church in Centerville, Sunday night, February 23. The service will be followed with a reception.

ELABORATE FUNERAL HELD FOR LATE SUPERINTENDENT OF THE MASONIC HOME

"MY FAMILY"

By James H. Heath, Masonic Home Reporter

These two words, in letters of gold, displayed across the top of the beautiful large wreath of gardenias formed the center piece of all the elaborate collection of floral tributes at the funeral, in the Masonic Home, in Decoto, February 8 of Franklin B. Hartman, for thirty-two years the efficient Superintendent of the Home.

It was the offering of the three hundred and fifty men and women composing the membership and was made more impressive by the attendance of all the members physically able to be present.

In the upper part of the wreath was displayed, one on each side, the familiar Masonic Emblem and that of the Order of the Eastern Star. A few feet away from the big wreath was a beautiful although smaller floral wreath, the tribute of the fifty or more paid employees, and so designated on the flowers. A splendid design of blue violets near the center of the stage, was a token bearing the word and figures "Alameda" and "167" this being from Mr. Hartman's Lodge at Centerville, four miles distant from the Home.

Mission Lodge of San Francisco and various other Lodges were represented in the floral display as well as by Islam Shrine Temple of San Francisco and by scores of individuals.

During his long service as executive Mr. Hartman has always referred to the guests of the Home as "The Home Family". Hence the appropriateness of this unit of the decorations.

—His Favorite Flower

The casket enclosing the body of Mr. Hartman rested on the floor opposite the center of the stage. On the top was shown a fine bouquet of deep, red roses—Mr. Hartman's favorite flower.

Six hundred people were in the assembly hall, comfortably seated at eleven o'clock at which time the regular Masonic Ritualistic Funeral Service commenced. It was presented under the auspices of the Grand Lodge, conducted by Lloyd E. Wilson, Grand Master. He was directly assisted at the casket by Henry E. Oliphant, assistant Grand Secretary, Leslie E. Wood, Senior Grand Warden, Ralph K. Marshall, Grand Tyler and a Sacramento Mason as acting Grand Chaplain.

The balance of the Grand Lodge officers, elective and appointive were filled either by members of the official family or substitutes. All were the regulation jewels and occupied chairs near the platform. Near them were the officers and members of Mr. Hartman's Lodge, Alameda, No. 167, Centerville, and in other nearby chairs were seated Inspectors, masters and past masters and officers of many districts. W. L. McWhirter, Decoto Home Physician was seated with the Centerville delegation. The board of trustees of the Masonic Homes was represented by Charles M. Wollenberg, President, and Charles A. Adams, both Past Grand Masters. All Master Masons wore aprons.

The arrangements for the rites were under the capable direction of President Wollenberg. Mrs. Minnie Richardson, Matron; Miss Esther Payne, head nurse in the Home Hospital, Mrs. Virginia Lord, secretary for Mr. Hartman, occupied front seats and with them was seated Miss Von Buskirk, for more than twenty years assistant in the office of the grand secretary.

Eloquent tribute to the memory of Mr. Hartman was paid in a brief address by Mr. Wollenberg, who spoke with feeling of the admirable traits of character as shown through the many years of their acquaintance. Among the beautiful thoughts mentioned by the speaker was that Mr. Hartman had always looked upon the Home folks as his "family". A few years ago

when Mr. Hartman took a trip East he turned down the suggestion that he look up his relatives by saying he was not interested, and that his only family interests solely were in the members of the Decoto Home, or as he termed it, "My Family".

The opening number of the program was the playing of a series of familiar hymns by Miss Catherine Bannon, organist at the Oakland Crematory, who also accompanied Mrs. Lord, Home vocalist, in two selections, "Crossing the Bar", Mr. Hartman's favorite hymn and "Piece I Leave With You". Veterans of the Home Family declare that Mrs. Lord sang with better effect than ever before. The work of Miss Bannon on the piano was praised by musical people in the audience.

In the viewing of the remains a touching incident was the farewells of four of Mr. Hartman's co-workers Mrs. Richardson, Miss Marion Payne, Mrs. Lord and Mrs. Grant. Of these Mrs. Richardson has been the co-worker for twenty years; Miss Payne and Mrs. Lord 18 years. Mrs. Grant, widow of George Grant, was a co-worker the past several years. The paid employees, numbering about fifty were given time off to attend the rites.

—Procession of Officers

At the close of the service the procession of Grand Officers was reformed for the return to the foot of the symbolic three, five, seven steps to the administration building where the body was tenderly placed in the awaiting hearse. Cremation followed at an Oakland Crematory.

Before being brought to the Home Saturday morning following the passing of Mr. Hartman, the body lay in state at the Sorensen Mortuary in Hayward under whose efficient management the rites at the Home were conducted.

The delivery of the ritualistic service by Grand Master Wilson was highly complimented and the work of his assistants was also commended.

Mr. Hartman was appointed Superintendent of the Decoto Home in November 1909 and entered upon his duties in December of that year. The membership of the Home on that date was composed of sixty men and thirty-two women. Now there are approximately three hundred and fifty members, of which two hundred are men. There were three hundred and thirty Lodges in the California Jurisdiction. Now there are five hundred and eighty Lodges with a membership of one hundred and twenty-seven thousand, one hundred and twenty-two.

There have been over two thousand admissions to the Decoto Home since Mr. Hartman took charge, and he has conducted the funeral rites of more than 90 per cent of the members called by death in these 32 years. Incidentally it should be stated that no rites are conducted within the home, rites taking place at either Hayward or Oakland mortuaries, with delegations representing the Home in attendance, and usually with Mrs. Lord as vocal soloist.

BACK AT WORK

Teddy is back at work again. He had an ear operation last week and recuperated in the E. H. Frick home for several days. Saturday he got up on the plumbing company's truck and made the rounds of his customers with his usual cheery "woof! woof!" Teddy is Ernie Frick's noblest companion, his dog.

ROTARY CLUB'S MODEL HOME TO OPEN SOON

ATTRACTIVE DEVELOPMENT
AT OLD ADOBE ACRES
WILL INTEREST THE PUBLIC

Announcement is to be made within the next few days of the opening date of the Rotary Club Model Home in Old Adobe Village, it was revealed by Mr. George C. Roeding Jr., today in discussing the progress of the exhibition home. As president of the California Nursery Company, owners and developers of the restricted home center located one quarter mile west of the Nursery grounds on the Niles-Decoto Highway, Mr. Roeding has watched closely the progress of the model home.

The home is being completely furnished by Breuner's with Mrs. Roeding as color consultant to effect a close tie-in between the outdoor garden as planned in tones of green and warm yellow and the interior treatment. Furnishings are now going in and will complete the panoramic picture from the windows of the rooms.

—Liveability Featured

Throughout the exhibition home every consideration has been given to liveability. Natural advantages of the setting have been allowed for in planning the landscaping. Rooms are conveniently arranged with the interior coloring enhanced by complimentary use of colors used in the garden. The generous sized home orchard, a part of every home in Old Adobe Village, is part of the complete plan for the Rotary Club Model Home.

From the site of the model home there is a striking view of the surrounding country including Mission Peak and the garden plantings have been designed to offer several framed vistas of unusual beauty. Three definite sections are combined in the garden: the "Outdoor Living Room", the "Family Orchard", and a planting on the west of the residence for cut flowers.

—Site is Roomy

The roominess of the site of the Rotary Club Model Home is typical of other homes and sites in Old Adobe Village since each is one-quarter acre or more in size and has been laid out so that the home may be built with an opportunity for privacy and seclusion. A comprehensive selection of California's finest fruit trees is already in place on almost all sites. A wealth of colorful Spring blossoms provide a natural setting of beauty for Old Adobe Village homes as well as long season of delicious tree-ripened table fruits of various kinds.

Avenue plantings of walnut trees add further to the hominess of this new center. Orchard trees and experienced building and planting council are included in the price of each site as well as the essential utilities such as gas, electricity, water, and telephone. Quarter acres sell from \$350, half acres from \$600. FHA Loans have been approved for Old Adobe Village. Homes are being built to order by the developers, or, if the prospective owner prefers, he may make his own building arrangements.

DRIVER FINED \$50

Joseph Anthony Valin of Hayward was fined \$50 for drunk driving after he pleaded guilty at the Niles Justice Court on Saturday. He was arrested by Deputy Sheriff O. W. Ebricht.

TRAMP CANINE PLAYS HERO AT MASONIC HOME

DECOTO — While among the approximate 350 members of the Masonic Home there is, generally speaking, much interest in the outcome of the European war it does not "hold a candle" with the result of the voting contest, now getting under way over the naming of a little tramp dog which recently endeared itself to the members of the home family by attracting attention to the plight of a Master Mason who had become unable to help himself due to a fall while out for a walk.

The rescue came as the result of the dog barking while standing guard over the unfortunate man, leaving him now and then at the approach of people in an effort to lead them to the spot.

The late Superintendent Hartman was notified and made haste to get the man to the home hospital and to secure the services of the home physician, Dr. McWhirter who is said to have made a record breaking motor run from his home in Centerville.

Immediately the tramp dog became the hero of the community, incidentally Superintendent Hartman's consent was secured to suspend the cast iron rule of "no dogs allowed" and to say that this particular dog could regard this as its home for the rest of its life. A decision was reached that a license and a suitable collar should be provided, and the contest for a suitable name is on.

Wesley Heidt Occidental Lodge, No. 22, San Francisco is chairman of the general membership committee in charge.

Coming Events

TODAY

12 noon Annual luncheon meeting, county educators at Hotel Oakland.

1 p.m. Annual aeronautical meet at Decoto Grammar school.

7:30 p.m. Sanford Circle meets at Niles Congregational church for a Valentine Party.

8 p.m. Public card party by St. James men's club in Memorial hall at Centerville.

SATURDAY

10 a.m. Four-schools play day at Niles Elementary school.

8:30 p.m. Newark Fire Department Ladies Auxiliary Valentine dance at Newark Pavilion.

SUNDAY

10:30 a.m. Congregational laymen's retreat starts in Berkeley.

MONDAY

Noon: Election of officers, Niles Chamber of Commerce.

8 p.m. Rainbow Girls install officers in Masonic Hall at Centerville.

TUESDAY

10 a.m. to 3 p.m.—State income tax collector at Central Bank in Niles.

7 p.m. Buffet benefit supper in Memorial hall of St. James Episcopal church.

7 p.m. Centerville Lions receive Niles Rotarians at Black and White restaurant.

8 p.m. S. P. R. S. I. annual whist party in Leal Building, Irvington.

8:30 p.m. Public whist party in Parish house of Corpus Christi church.

THURSDAY

10 a.m. P. T. A. Founders Day at Pleasanton.

6 & 7 p.m. Public invited to enjoy Washington's Birthday turkey dinner at Niles Congregational church.

8 p.m. Public invited to enjoy Vodvil program at Washington High school.

Group pictures were taken of the newly formed group of Y. L. I. members at their regular meeting which was held on Tuesday evening February 11 at the Leal's social hall in Irvington.

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Rev. T. Hennessy, Pastor
8:30 a.m. Second and fourth Sundays.
10:00 a.m. First, third and fifth Sundays.

Christian Science Churches

"Soul" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon Sunday, February 16, in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, branches of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ Scientist, in Boston, Mass.

The Golden Text will be: "Let all those that seek thee rejoice and be glad in thee: and let such as love thy salvation say continually, Let God be magnified" (Psalms 70: 4). Other Bible citations will include: "No weapon that is formed against thee shall prosper; and every tongue that shall rise against thee in judgment thou shalt condemn. This is the heritage of the servants of the Lord, and their righteousness is of me, saith the Lord . . . Incline your ear, and come unto me: hear, and your soul shall live; and I will make an ever lasting covenant with you, even the sure mercies of David" (Isa. 54: 17; 55: 3).

The Lesson-Sermon will also include the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Life is the law of Soul, even the law of the spirit of Truth, and Soul is never without its representative. Man's individual being can no more die nor disappear in unconsciousness than can Soul, for both are immortal" (p. 427).

Mr. and Mrs. John Enos, Sr., Mrs. Helen Milina and children, Mr. and Mrs. John Enos, Jr., and Lester Madeiros, attended a house warming in San Leandro on Saturday evening.

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Choir Rehearsals:
Junior, Thursday afternoon, 3:30
Senior, Thursday evening, 7:00
Ladies Guild, Wednesday afternoon.
Thursday evening, the men of the Church will give another of their famous dinners, February 20, a Washington's Birthday Dinner. Turkey and all that goes with it to make a dinner fit for a patriot.

RAINBOW GIRLS TO INSTALL OFFICERS NEXT MONDAY EVE

CENTERVILLE — New officers of the Centerville Rainbow Girls will take over their duties at a meeting to be held Monday night, February 17, at 8 o'clock at the Masonic Hall at Centerville.

Ruth Hellwig of Alvarado is mother adviser; Betty Gibson, worthy adviser; Betty Jane Steinhoff, worthy associate adviser; Betty Hall, chairty; Jacqueline Burtch, hope; Opal Potvin, faith; Virginia Scammon, recorder and Barbara Williams, treasurer.

Those appointed by the worthy adviser are Bonnie Miller, chaplain; Helen Griffin, drill leader; LaFerne King, confidential observer; Beverly Adams, outer observer; LaVerne Fruse, musician; Jean Rogers, choir director; Sally Logan, love; Jean Wauhab, religion; Rachel Williams, nature; Alice Schultz, immortality; Barbara Lanini, fidelity; Doris Alameda, patriotism; Mary Bruce, service.

Installing officers at the recent ceremonies were Betty Oldfield, Karen Gronley, Jane Sorensen, Betty Ann Schultz, Lillian Jorgensen, Olga Gronley, Elizabeth Hall and Eleanor Potvin.

Betty Marie Enos, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Enos, Jr. is confined to her bed with influenza.



Church News

P. T. A. INTERVIEW TO BE BROADCAST ON FEBRUARY 14

Commemorating the forty-fourth anniversary of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers, on February 17th, 1897, Mrs. C. H. Noyes, Sixteenth District radio chairman, California Congress of Parents and Teachers, will interview Mrs. William Cox, State Program and Founders' Day chairman on the district monthly broadcast over KLX, Friday, February 14 at 11:30 a. m.

Units throughout the district are honoring the founders with special programs and Mrs. E. W. Buxton, district president will participate in a number of them. Her schedule for the first two weeks of February includes Longfellow P. T. A. Richmond Council; Le Conte, Berkeley; Franklin, Berkeley; Berkeley Council program; Martinez Junior High; Mt. Diablo Council; Berkeley High; Richmond Council; Burbank Jr. High, Berkeley; Hayward High.

DECOTO NEWS

Mrs. Edmund Francis
Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Nunes have been entertaining their daughter-in-law and her two children from San Diego, at their home here.

CENTERVILLE P. T. A. TO MEET AGAIN ON FEBRUARY 25

CENTERVILLE — The next meeting of the Centerville Parent-Teachers' Association will be held on Tuesday afternoon, February 25 at 2:30 o'clock, in the new Centerville auditorium. A competent lady will be present to care for any young children whose parents plan to attend the meeting.

Last year the Centerville unit had the largest membership since its organization in 1923. Mrs. George Pimental, membership chairman states that this year's enrollment is approaching last year's record. Any parent or friend who wishes to join the P. T. A. may do so by contacting any of the following officers:

President, Mrs. A. E. Rogers; Vice President, Mrs. Edward Chamberlan; Secretary, Mrs. Rita Furtado; Financial Secretary, Mrs. George Pimental; Treasurer, Principal Thomas P. Maloney; Parliamentarian, Mrs. Manuel Brazil; Historian Mrs. Edward King.

Jerry Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Brown, has returned to his classroom, after being confined to his bed for several days with influenza.

Mrs. Sanchez is up and around following an attack of influenza.

\$20 FOR CHARITY

CENTERVILLE — The Centerville Elementary School reported collecting \$20 as its quota for the "March of Dimes." The committee in charge of collections was composed of Rudolph Alonzo, Shirley Alameda, Shirley Marriot, Barbara Ponti, Vivian Rose, and Robert Wells.

BASKETBALL SQUADS AT CENTERVILLE MAKE FINE RECORD

CENTERVILLE — The Centerville Elementary basketball squads under the direction of Principal Thomas P. Maloney are making a fine record in the Washington Township Basketball League.

The Centerville lightweights (100 lbs. or under) are undefeated in the last five years of competition, having been victorious in over a hundred contests without a single loss.

The lightweight players are: Jiro Nakamura, f; Yutaka Hayashi, f; Robert Motozaki, f; Roy Hamachi, f; Ben Oku, f; Harold Alameda, c; Jimmy Ushijima, c; Carvin Dowke, g; Alwin Lum, g; James Pickler, g; Melford Alameda, g; Satoshi Sugimoto, g; Henry Miyamura, g.

The Centerville unlimited team has also made a splendid record and is composed of the following players: Albert Lum, f; Alfred Gomes, f; Milton DeBorba, f; Taskashi Sugimoto, c; Adolph Enos, c; Rudolph Alonzo, g; Anthony Dutra, g; Gene Cox, g.

Miss Mary Ramos and Kenneth Garcia both of Decoto, are making final arrangements for their wedding, which will take place in the very near future. Miss Ramos is the daughter of Mrs. Mary Ramos, and is employed at the Ramos General Merchandise Store here. Mr. Garcia is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Garcia, and is employed at the Jas. Graham Mfg. Co. at Newark. Both are graduates of the Decoto Grammar School.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kiles have moved from Alta Vista, and are now residing here in Decoto.

ALVISO MOTHERS PLAN DANCE AND PLAYS FEBRUARY 22

CENTERVILLE — The Alviso Mothers Club will give two short plays preceding a dance at the school on Saturday night, February 22, at 8:15 o'clock. The public is invited.

One of the plays will be in Portuguese and one in English, according to Mrs. Carrie Andrade, president. The Portuguese play, "Father Takes Mother's Place" will be given by the following cast: Mrs. Anna Martin, Mrs. Mary Caradoza, Carrie Andrade, Mrs. Rita Perry, Francis, Mamie Mello and Mrs. Mamie Santos. The English play, "Moving Day," will be given by Mrs. Mayme Roderick, Mrs. Eleanor Azevedo, Mrs. Lou George, Mrs. Lydia Orsetti and Mrs. Letizia Silva.

DECOTO BOOSTERS CLUB TAKES IN 16 NEW MEMBERS

DECOTO — The Decoto Boosters Club took in 16 new members at last Thursday night's meeting at the fire hall, bringing the total enrollment to 75 according to Dave Janeiro, president.

The club voted to donate \$4.50 for prizes for the grammar school aeronautics meet and arrangements were made for a benefit to raise funds for the new library lots. Refreshments were served after the meeting under the direction of Mrs. Dave Janeiro.

NEWARK SPORTSWOMEN PLAN MARCH DANCE

NEWARK — The Newark Sportswomen Club held a valentine party Wednesday evening at Butlers Hotel. Mrs. Millard Day and Mrs. Wayne Cottingham were the hostesses. Following the party the club held their regular meeting, and two new members, Judith Weaver of Newark and June Stenhouse of Niles, were initiated as new members of the club.

The main point of their meeting was to make further plans for their St. Patrick's dance to be held Saturday evening, March 15 at the Newark Pavilion with Mrs. Angien Fraga, general chairman in charge.

Mrs. Connie Amarai and Mrs. Jesse Perry attended a meeting of the Native Daughters of the Golden West at Centerville on Friday evening. Mrs. Ida Francis was initiated as a new member.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cordeiro have recovered from an attack of influenza.

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BRIDGE LUNCHEON GIVEN IN HONOR OF LEONA SOLON

Mrs. Roy Rodebaugh entertained 12 guests at a bridge luncheon and miscellaneous shower honoring Miss Leona Solon, bride-elect, at the Hotel Belvoir on Saturday. Valentine decorations were used on the luncheon tables. The guest list included Mrs. Irma Hodges Boland of Stockton, Miss Bertie Morris of Sacramento, Miss Winnie Bendel, Mrs. Warren Jones, Mrs. Ted Logan of Niles, Mrs. Bob Whipple of Decoto, Miss Gloria Griffin, Miss Helen Rogers, Miss Doris Machado, Miss Katherine Rathbone of Centerville and Miss Bernice Weber of Newark, Miss Caroline Oglesby, Miss Dorothy Curry, Mrs. Olive Crothers Fountaine and Mrs. Peggy Whitfield Voorhes.

JOLLY BATCHELERS LEAVE FOR DUTY AT PASO ROBLES

Lt. and Mrs. Jolly Batchelor left yesterday for Paso Robles where Lt. Batchelor is to be stationed with the Field Artillery of the U. S. Army. They have been extensively entertained during the past week, some of the hostesses being Mrs. Lester Duffey, Mrs. Warren Jones, Mrs. Dora Mae Scudder, Mrs. Clark Griffin, Mrs. Fritz Waltenberger, Mrs. Henry Snell and Mrs. Gladys Williamson.

The Brownies for whom Mrs. Batchelor has been leader gave her a going-away party last Wednesday with Mrs. Lewis Lewis as chairman of the mothers, assisted by Mrs. J. A. Silva, Mrs. Nesbitt and Mrs. Pereira. Mrs. Bob Whipple, new leader took over her duties following the meeting at the Scout House. Mrs. Batchelor has also been soloist at the Christian Science church and she and Lt. Batchelor have been active in the Arts and Crafts Guild and the Little Theater. He has been leader of the Cubs and will be succeeded by George Sladek.

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ANNUAL WHIST PARTY

IRVINGTON—The S. P. R. S. I. Council No. 105, Flores de Maria, of Irvington will hold their annual whist party on February 18, at the Leal building on Mission Street, Irvington. There will be 100 prizes including chickens, hams, pillow cases and other articles, according to Mrs. Anna R. Silva, general chairman. Assisting with arrangements are Mrs. Mary Rose, Mrs. Mary Williams and Mrs. Marie Silveria. The public is invited.

IRVINGTON LODGE VISITED BY GRAND PRESIDENT

IRVINGTON — The Official Visit of Grand President, Hazel Hansen of Glendale to Betsy Ross Parlor, N. D. G. W. at Centerville Parlor on Friday February 7 was a very enjoyable affair. Visitors included Grand Trustees, Marion White, Ethel Enos, Grand Vice-President Clarice Cook, Supervising Deputy, Esther Ragon, Deputy Minerva Rees and members from Oakland, Niles, Hayward, San Leandro, San Rafael, San Francisco, Modesto, San Jose, Stockton and Santa Cruz.

With President Leotina Leal presiding the ritualistic work was presented for the grand President with the initiation of Ida Sequera Francis of Decoto.

Olive Silva, decoration chairman carried out the valentine motif with large red carnations and individual favors for the guests.

The Grand President was presented with a piece of silverware to add to her set. Other Grand Officers and also President Leotina were also presented with gifts from the Parlor.

Refreshments were served to the guests at the close of the meeting by the following committee, Evelyn Garcia, Constance Amaral, Margaret White, Mary Freitas, Florence Medeiros, Marie Williams Anna Rose, Lucille Correia, and Roumilda Rose.

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PRE-LENTE WHIST PARTY AT ST. ANNE'S

ALVARADO — A Pre-Lente Whist Party for the benefit of St. Anne's Catholic Church, Alvarado is scheduled for Monday night, February 24, at the Parish Hall. Many valuable gifts are already on hand for the fortunate players. Mr. Manuel Silva, chairman announces that refreshments will be served free to those in attendance after the game.

Assisting Mr. Silva on the committee are Mrs. M. Silva, Anthony Silva, Mr. A. E. Vargus, Mrs. George Roderick, Mrs. Edyth Mello, Mrs. Mary Rivers and several other prominent Parishoners. The public is cordially invited.

COUNTY TRUSTEES HOLD ANNUAL MEET AT IRVINGTON

IRVINGTON — The County Trustees association held their annual meeting at the Irvington Grammar School on Monday, February 10. The meeting started at three o'clock and adjourned at 11 p.m. Visual education material was displayed by the county office. Children of the Irvington Grammar School supplied the following program.

Mrs. Oliveria's class explained their unit on Alaska. Miss Bond's class explained their unit on soil conservation. Mr. Prouty and his class broadcast a short play created by the class.

A glee club from Ashland under the direction of Mr. Beck sang many numbers which were enjoyed by the large crowd present. Mr. Muller, County superintendent of schools introduced all numbers. Speeches were enjoyed by the group from the following supervisors, Miss Mead, Mrs. Ward, Miss Kelley and Mr. Bunker.

After the entertainment by the children a recess was taken for the enjoyable dinner that was prepared by Mrs. Caroline Brown and Mrs. Messe O'Leary. Mr. Muller introduced the Irvington trustees who were hosts of the evening. They were Dr. E. M. Grimmer and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Silveria, Mr. and Mrs. John Oliveria and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Prouty were also introduced. Following dinner, Reverend Blish spoke on "Getting Back To God." Mr. John Allen spoke on State School Legislation. Mr. Pierce, president of the trustees presided, Leon Ess was elected president for the coming term with J. R. Silveria as secretary-treasurer.

DEPARTMENT SPLITS MELON AMONG COUNTIES

SACRAMENTO — The Department of Motor Vehicles today split a melon amounting to a total of \$611,147.38 equally between the state division of highways and the fifty eight counties of the state to be used for road building purposes. The sum apportioned represents collections for license plate registrations for the last six months of 1940, less the percentage set aside by law for departmental support.

Combined with the \$7,523,027 already apportioned by the department it gives a total of \$8,134,174 contributed by the motorists of California in license fees alone toward road maintenance and construction in 1940.

The county apportionment is based on total fee paid registrations for 1940 of 2,955,952 vehicles—the largest in the state's history and 6.6 percent greater than 1939. The amount received by each county is based upon its fee paid registrations.

Alameda County's share of the money for the last six months of the year is \$279,261. This is based on fee paid registrations of 202,967 vehicles.

TAXPAYERS TO MEET

"National Defense and the Taxpayer" was announced today by California Taxpayers' association as the theme of its Fifteenth Annual meeting, to be held in Los

EASTERN STAR HOLDS VALENTINE PARTY WEDNESDAY

CENTERVILLE — A valentine party was held by Orient Chapter, No. 177, O. E. S. at Masonic Hall here with Marjorie Webb, worthy matron, in charge Wednesday night. Music was furnished by La Mora Lganas and her son of San Leandro.

The supper committee for the evening consisted of Leona Rutter, chairman; Mary Griffin, R. A. Griffin, Martha Mack of Irvington, Fern Mitte of Niles and Petra Gronley of Centerville. Cards and refreshments followed the program.

HEAR ADDRESS

MISSION SAN JOSE — Several people from Mission attended the lecture given by Dr. Ungersma Professor of Theology at the San Anselmo Seminary, when he appeared at the Newark Presbyterian Church on Sunday evening. They were Mrs. Elsie Wilcox and Mrs. Justus Overacher, Miss Nelle Warren and Mrs. H. L. Justus and her family. Dr. Ungersma's subject was "Totalitarianism, and its affect on the Christian Church". He was in Germany during the rise of Hitler to power and gave a fine talk on this subject and also many important facts connected with the Church.

PLAY DAY SATURDAY

MISSION SAN JOSE—On February 15 another "Play Day" will be held at the Niles Grammar School according to word received by the W. P. A. directors at the Mission Grammar School. Those schools to participate are Niles, Alvarado, Valla Vista, Centerville, and Mission San Jose. The day will be spent in competitive games including Baseball, Basketball, Volley ball and races of every kind. The day starts at 10:30 and lasts till 3:30. Each child will bring their own lunch and parents and anyone interested are invited to attend, especially W. P. A. Leaders.

DRIVERS LICENSES ISSUED DURING 1929 TO BE REVOKED

SACRAMENTO — Drivers license examiners throughout California today were instructed by James M. Carter, director of motor vehicles, to resume renewals of 1929 "good until revoked" licenses.

Because of the rush of license plate registrations, the renewal of these licenses was postponed temporarily some weeks ago. Department officials estimate nearly 1,000,000 drivers in California still are using good until revoked licenses issued between January 1 and August 14 1929.

COSTLY TEN MILES

That 10-mile interval between 60 and 70 miles per hour on the speedometer is extremely expensive to use, states L. G. Evans, General Service Manager of the National Automobile Club. Actual test figures show that it cuts gasoline mileage on the average car from 16 to the gallon down to 12, a difference of 25 percent.

It is even more costly with respect to oil consumption. A popular priced car, which may be presumed to be fairly typical, shows an oil mileage of 900 per gallon at a speed of 60 miles an hour. At 70 the consumption is at the rate of one gallon every 500 miles.

What it does to safety is an even more impressive matter.

Angeles, Tuesday morning, February 18, at 10:00 o'clock, at the Biltmore Hotel. The meeting, a morning session only, will be open to the public and interested citizens throughout the state are invited to attend, the Taxpayers' association stated. Problems of the three levels of government in the United States, federal, state, and local, in their relationship to national defense and the taxpayer, will be discussed.

ST. PATRICKS PARTY

NEWARK — A St. Patrick's party for the benefit of St. Edward's parish will be given at the Newark Grammar School on March 17, at 8:30 o'clock under the auspices of the Holy Names Society of Newark and the Confraternity of St. Anne at Alvarado. Miss Bernice Weber is chairman of arrangements and the public is invited.

IRVINGTON BOOSTERS PLAN FOR MORE STREET LIGHTS

IRVINGTON — The new Boosters Club of Irvington held their first regular meeting at Leal's hall Monday night with Jake Turnbow, president, in the chair.

Six additional street lights for the center of town and better drainage for the Centerville-Warm Springs highway between First and Bay streets were adopted as the first projects of the new organization, committees being appointed to look after these matters.

The next meeting will be a joint social and business affair on Monday, February 24, at which time standing committees will be appointed.

AERONAUTICAL MEET AT DECOTO SCHOOL FRIDAY AFTERNOON

DECOTO — The Decoto Grammar School will hold its first annual aeronautical meet at the school on Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock with more than 50 boys competing for prizes furnished by the Boosters Club. The upper grades will compete for essay and flight prizes while the lower grades will enter solid models, according to Principal L. W. Musick. The school had a Lincoln's day program on Monday and observed Tuesday as a holiday.

COUNTY WELFARE AID INCREASES

In Alameda county, the four kinds of relief administered by the county welfare department showed

NILES DE SOTO DEALER WINS SALES HONORS

Word of a record-smashing, all-time high in De Soto and Plymouth sales in Northern California has been received by Clarence B. Crane, Niles De Soto-Plymouth dealer.

Van W. Peabody, vice-president and general manager of James F. Waters, world's largest distributor of the two popular cars, in complimenting Crane for the part he played in attaining this unprecedented record, said:

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"My heartiest congratulations go to Mr. Crane," said Mr. Peabody, "for most alert and aggressive participation in chalking up this enviable record."

BUFFET SUPPER

CENTERVILLE — Young people of St. James Episcopal church will have a buffet supper at Memorial Hall on Tuesday night, February 25 for the benefit of the church. A program of entertainment is being planned with Arch Sparrow in charge.

the following trends in 1940, January and November case loads compared: county indigent aid, up from 2,598 in January to 2,903 in November; persons receiving aged aid up from 7,961 in January to 8,745 in November; children receiving orphan aid, 2,703 in January to 2,636 in November. These facts are brought out in a study of county-administered relief, just made public by California Taxpayers' association.

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STAMP PLAN EXPLAINED TO WOMEN'S GROUP

Numerous matters of importance were considered at Monday night's dinner meeting of the Business and Professional Women's Club at the Hotel Belvoir with Mrs. Jean La-Come, president, in the chair and 32 present. A nominating committee which will report in March was elected and reports were heard from the recent district convention in Oakland at which the local club was one of the hostess organizations.

—Speaker of Evening.

The speaker of the evening was Albion Patterson who discussed the food stamp plan to begin in Alameda County next Monday. Music was furnished by Miss Eldora Perry, pianist and Leona Solon, program chairman had charge of this part of the meeting. The group contributed \$10 toward the purchase of mobile kitchens for the British and decided to allocate proceeds from the recent production of Family Portrait by the Alameda Little Theater at the next meeting.

Although all ticket sales had not been reported, it was indicated that after the approximate \$50 expenses are paid, there will be a profit of more than \$100. Consensus of opinion seemed to indicate that the approximate 500 people who attended the play last Friday night were well pleased. A donation of \$10 from A. J. Caderno, Alvarado printer, was received and the secretary was instructed to write letters of thanks to him, to the Alameda Little Theater and to Sherman and Slay who furnished the music.

—Next Meeting March 10

An invitation for a joint meeting with the Niles Rotary Club at some future date was accepted. The next regular meeting will be held on March 10 at the Niles Congregational church with the Martha Sanford Circle serving the dinner.

Members of the club registered for the emergency service plan for National defense, indicating in what capacities they could be of use to the country at large in case of emergency. Reports of the district convention were given by Mrs. Chris Runckel, Mrs. Madeline Westphal and Miss Leona Solon.

Four new members received were Miss Dorothea Ormsby, secretary at Washington Union High School; Miss Helen Rogers, teacher at the high school; Mrs. Pauline Oaks, publisher of the Alvarado Pioneer and Mrs. E. A. Quaresma of Irvington, a transfer from San Luis Obispo club.

A card was received announcing the birth of the club's first baby—John Oliver Kleine, to Mrs. Jack Kleine in Oakland last Saturday.

The following were appointed on the nominating committee: Grace Knoles, chairman; Leona Solon, Gladys Williamson, Jewel Amaral and Lida Francis.

NEWARK

Eugene Pashote
Correspondent

Phil Samwell of Oakland, Clarence Graham Jr., of Palo Alto and Albert Pashote and Henry Fields of Newark attended the horse races at the Albany track on Saturday.

Anthony Lemos of Newark, a graduate of Washington Union High School in 1940, is now employed at an Oakland Brass foundry.

J. L. Bunker, Assistant County Superintendent of Schools, visited the Newark Grammar School last Thursday.

The Women's Improvement Club held their valentine party, Tuesday evening at Sophie's in Irvington. After the dinner and party at Sophie's, the members held their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Dora Fuller at Centerville.

The Newark Sportsmens Club held their regular meeting Tuesday evening at Butlers Hotel with Chris Mikkelsen presiding.

Joe Nevis Sr., returned home Saturday in an ambulance after being at the Highland hospital with pneumonia for quite some time. He is reported to be doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Kune of Oakland spent the weekend here visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Jolly.

Annie Vargus is spending a week in Santa Clara visiting relatives.

The Molders Union of Newark are holding their dance at the Newark Pavilion, Saturday evening, February 22.

Mrs. William Calderia spent a few days last week in Oakland visiting her daughter, Mrs. Alice Aroz.

Tony DeValle of Newark and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Meyers of Oakland spent the weekend at the DeValles ranch in Humboldt county.

Mrs. Joseph Mendes was rushed to the Highland hospital this week for an appendix operation. She is reported to be doing nicely.

Mrs. Ernest Kessling of Mountain View and Mrs. Mary Avery of San Jose visited at the home of Mrs. Lena Bertolotti on Friday.

Joy Browne, Shirley and Adele Bertolotti of Newark and other scholarship students of Washington Union High School had the honor of touring the University of California campus, Saturday. They were taken there by the high school bus from Centerville.

Dennis Nevis, son of Mr. and James Nevis, has been confined to his home for several days with a severe cold and infected ears.

Miss Leona May Miller, who was badly injured in the Cabral-Kakimoto accident about a year ago, was taken to the Peralta hospital in Oakland, Tuesday evening. She is reported to be slowly improving. She was taken to the hospital in the Chapel of the Palms ambulance.

Miss Florence Freitas, a graduate of Washington Union High school, is now employed as a bookkeeper at the J. F. Metal Corporation office at Centerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Webb of Hayward and Mr. and Mrs. William Mellit of Centerville spent Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Truscott enjoying a game of Tripoli.

IRVINGTON

Miss Agnes Raymond
Correspondent

Misses Esther Galaurte and Bonnie George with a group of friends visited Calaveras Dam on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Caldera of San Leandro visited Mr. and Mrs. Stepp Raymond and family on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Haynes and daughter Jacqueline, Mrs. Virginia Dutra and daughter Joan with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mahaffy visited with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lewis of San Carlos last Sunday.

Mrs. George Beardsley returned to her home in Irvington after being confined to the San Jose Hospital for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Fraga are the proud owners of a 1941 Buick Sedan purchased last week.

Erol "Friday" Thompson of the United States Navy visited with friends in Newark Saturday, and stated that he is stationed at the present time at the Alameda Naval Base.

The Friday evening bridge club met at the home of Mrs. Elvy Wyatt in Newark. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. Mary Lousteau of Alameda is spending several weeks visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Jolly.

Mrs. Joe Gastelum, who gave birth to a seven pound baby boy recently at Silva's Maternity Home at Niles, is reported to be improving at her home on Thornton Avenue with Mrs. Anna Marshall taking care of the patient. The baby was named Eugene David Gastelum this week.

Fred Noia and Jack Stadler spent Sunday at Morage visiting friends.

The Stich-em-up Club met at the home of Mrs. Fred Muller, Friday. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. Harry Gomez spent the weekend in Oakland visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Muzzy Rogers and daughter with Mrs. Mary McConkey visited with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Eisenhart of Monterey last Sunday.

Miss Doris Thomas is up and around following a recent illness.

Mrs. C. Lutz entertained friends at her home on Wednesday afternoon.

A surprise birthday party was given in honor of Mr. John Jorgensen by the Jolly 8 club members. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mohn, Mr. and Mrs. Malcome Van Ike, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mahaffy, Mr. and Mrs. G. Bernal and Mr. and Mrs. J. Chadbourne.

Friends will be glad to hear that the condition of Mrs. George Gomes has greatly improved. She is convalescing at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. L. Campos of Hanford.

Friends are wishing Mrs. Louis Adams who has been ill for several days, a very speedy recovery.

Word was received here by friends of a baby boy being born to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Francis of San Francisco. Mr. Francis is the son of Mrs. Etta Lewis former telephone operator of the Irvington exchange.

Paul Power of Irvington is now doing student teaching at the University High School in Oakland.

The Jolly 8 Club met at the home of Mrs. Malcome Van Ike on Wednesday. An afternoon of cards and refreshments were enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Mahaffy attended a birthday party honoring Miss Rose Nunes of Pleasanton last Saturday evening. Other local people attending were, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Oliveria, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Perry and Mr. and Mrs. Chet Vargas.

Mrs. A. J. Santos had as her visitor her granddaughter Miss Mildred Santos last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Reiss and children Wesley, Randy and Elizabeth with Agnes Herman all of Woodland visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Benbow for a few days last week.

MISSION SAN JOSE

Miss Elaine Justus
Correspondent

The Mission Fire Department held another one of their monthly card parties on Thursday evening at the Solon building which was very well attended by invited guests. Prizes were given and refreshments served.

Mrs. Florence Castro spent Monday in Cupertino as a business visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. Joaquin Pereira entertained Miss Juanita Dyer of Oakland on Sunday.

'Our Place', owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Castro celebrated their first of the season 'Big Feed' night on Saturday, February 8. A large attendance from the east bay enjoyed a very successful and pleasant evening with plenty of good music and food.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Enright left Thursday for San Francisco to stay the rest of the week and attend the funeral of his niece, who passed away suddenly of a heart attack.

The Mora family returned from Monterey where they had been working to spend the weekend at their home here. They returned on Sunday evening.

Friends of Mrs. Robert Noble will be interested to learn that she is now in New York City.

Misses Elaine and Ruth Justus attended the dance given at the Niles Memorial Hall on Saturday evening.

Joseph Santos and young son motored to Modesto and visited over the week end.

The S. P. R. S. I. Council No. 105 'Flores De Maria' of Irvington are making final preparations for the annual whist party which will be held at the Leal Building on February 18. Chairman Anna R. Silva and her assistance Mrs. Mary Rose, Mrs. Mary Williams and Mrs. Marie R. Silveria are working hard on the 100 grand prizes that will be given.

Miss Betty Corey returned to school after a few days illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Casthelano visited with Mr. and Mrs. M. Nunes of San Leandro last weekend.

Mr. John Rose formally of Irvington is now making final preparations to open a new filling station in Mission San Jose.

Bud Mozzetti has resumed his duties on his milk route after a several week illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Saylor, owners of the Saylor Candy Factory in Alameda, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cushing.

Mr. Sargent and Mrs. Dunn of Palo Alto were Wednesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cushing.

Philip Ramsell of Ford Ord visited friends and relatives in Irvington over the weekend.

Agnes Raymond resumed her duties at the E. H. Hirsch grocery store following a weeks illness.

Mr. C. M. Fox of Irvington is now employed at the Occidental Stove factory.

Mr. Jack McKenzie who was taken to the Franklin hospital recently is reported to be improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Miller returned from Rodeo after visiting with relatives for a few days.

Nelda Hammond, Beverly Soito, Racheal Williams, Alice Thomas and Dorothy Adams with Mrs. Ray Benbow as guardian of the Irvington Campfire Girls attended the Ballroom dancing class which is held weekly at the San Jose State College.

Miss Martha Mack is planning to celebrate her birthday on Sunday at the home of friends in Oakland.

An anniversary dinner was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wright on Sunday evening for Mr. and Mrs. John McGovern of San Francisco who celebrated their second anniversary. Others attending were Jean and Janice Nelson and Mrs. Catherine Brewer.

Max O'Starr of Moffett Field spent Thursday evening at the home of Miss Nelle Warren as her dinner guest.

Mrs. C. L. Best accompanied by Miss Anita Gallegos motored to Sonoma to the ranch home of Mrs. Best to spend a week. Frank Ordillo was chauffeur.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas D. Withers of Linda Vista Park spent Thursday afternoon at Burlingame visiting relatives and friends.

Frank Michlovich, who has been making his home at St. Marys of the Palms, left for his home in Salt Lake City, Utah on Thursday following a telegram he received saying his brother had been killed in an auto accident on his way to Salt Lake from Butte, Montana.

Melvin Callahan attended the Livermore dance and Frolic on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Nolan of Los Gatos were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pereira on Friday.

Mrs. Maude Witherly and Mr. Earl Shore of the W. P. A. Recreation division of the Mission Grammar School announce a new craft to be started at the school. They are teaching boys and girls the art of copper plaque making and will be glad to instruct anyone interested among older folks in the school district.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence F. Salz and son Earle, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Teixeira, and Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Francis, enjoyed a dinner in San Francisco on Sunday evening.

CENTERVILLE

Mrs. Alvin Morse and Miss Jane Nold of the high school faculty are making the decorations for the annual banquet of the Alameda County Teachers Association to be held at Hotel Oakland on February 15. Principal A. J. Rathbone is president but probably will not be able to attend as he has been in the San Jose hospital recovering from complications following influenza. He was expected to return home today.

Funeral services for Grover C. Tupper, 55, of 1539 9th avenue, Oakland were held from the Chapel of the Palms last Thursday with interment at the Odd Fellows cemetery at Irvington. He is survived by his widow, Ella and two daughters, Dorothy and Mrs. Eleanor Barry, all of Oakland.

An eight pound son was born to Mrs. Jack Kleine at the East Oakland Hospital Saturday morning.

An unused 1924 model automobile, so maintained that its buyer says that it is as good as the day it was built to sell for \$1,685, recently went to the highest bidder for \$40. Modern cars selling for less than half of its original price can run rings around it.

By using whole instead of cut seed, farmers can prevent spread of potato ring rot in the field, according to University of California scientists.

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BRITAIN'S RAF AND WAR IN THE DESERT

We've all read a great deal lately about the British drive against Fascist strongholds in Libya. But very little has been said about the gallant part being played by the Royal Air Force in that campaign.

It is probable that aerial warfare has never been carried on under more difficult conditions. And certainly the Libyan push has brought together the greatest air strength ever assembled in the desert country. (In World War 1, the British used airplanes in the Far East, and RAF ships did stout work in strafing the retreating Turks in the latter days of that conflict, but compared with the present operations, those aerial efforts were puny).

—MANY HAZARDS

Hazards and hardships, always present in that desert country, are multiplied for the airmen. Even a 10-mile-per-hour wind will create dust clouds that obscure the ground. Stronger winds will send these clouds swirling 10,000 to 20,000 feet in the air. Desert pilots say these dust clouds are tougher than the worst fogs found in more temperate climates.

Dust is the constant enemy. It seeps into everything, including the crankcases of engines, and mixing itself with the oil, forms a highly abrasive paste. All aircraft have to be equipped with filters over the engine air intakes, but even then, the need for engine maintenance and replacement is increased many fold.

—VALOR CITED

Yet under these trying and dangerous circumstances, the RAF has carried on with tremendous valor and success, according to information from neutral observers.

NEWARK BOOSTERS TO PETITION FOR SIDEWALK PROGRAM

NEWARK — It was decided at the Newark Boosters Club meeting last week at Silva's hall that a resolution be drawn up by the Boosters to be circulated and approved among the civic organizations asking permission from the State Highway Department to proceed with the sidewalk program for Thornton Avenue, according to Paul Gygas, chairman of the sidewalk program committee.

The Newark Boy Scouts are making arrangements to use the shop of Arthur Cotton, president of the Boosters and local building contractor, for craft work, according to Jack MacGregor in charge of the Boy Scouts.

Joe Pashote, chairman of the house-numbering project, would like to announce to the people of Newark that there are some modern house numbers on display at the Postoffice, and all those desiring one are asked to leave their orders at the postoffice. This display later will be moved to another business place.

The members at the next meeting, March 4 will vote on accepting a new member, the Reverend J. L. Webster whose application was received at the last meeting.

Throughout the United States, 1,890 English language daily newspapers, with an approximate circulation of 40,000,000 subscribers, and 525 Sunday papers with circulations nearly as large, depend almost exclusively on the motor truck for bulk distribution to readers.

Motor trips start out best with a gas tank that is full and a driver who is not.

The British attack on Sidi Barrani furnishes an example. Sidi Barrani was very strongly held, the entire area bristling with gun emplacements, concrete outposts, wire and tank traps.

Yet, according to the British, it took the RAF just six days to smash these defenses and open the way for General Wavell's army of the Nile. In less than a week, the RAF made 300 sorties. In one day 16 enemy companies were attacked with bombs and machine guns in 56 separate raids.

—BOMBING RAIDS

At Sofafi, the RAF claims to have trapped a concentration of 1500 Italian motor trucks and bombed them into twisted wreckage.

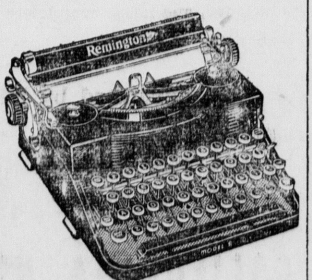
And during the six days the British insist they lost only 15 planes, against 97 Fascist ships shot down.

Holding its newest, fastest ships for the defense of Britain, the RAF has been using Hurricanes as desecrators and some of the older bombers for other missions. Outstanding were the performances of American-made Martin 167s, originally ordered by the French and taken over by the RAF after the fall of Paris.

AIR FACTS

William S. Knudsen, director general of defense production management, estimates the American aircraft industry will produce 33,000 new planes by the summer of 1942. A large percentage of these military ships will come from the factories in California.

Worthy of support by every air-minded citizen is the impending effort of the Department of Commerce to obtain an increased appropriation from Congress for airport construction. Right now, with military flying increasing daily, the airport situation is acute, and there is no better investment, for the future than adequate airport facilities throughout the entire nation.



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CACTUS FRUIT JELLY

3 1/2 cups cactus fruit juice
1/4 cup lemon juice
7 1/2 cups sugar
1 bottle fruit pectin
To prepare cactus fruit juice, remove fine thorns and blossom ends from about 3 pounds fully ripe cactus fruit. Cut in small pieces and crush. Add 1 cup water, bring to a boil, and simmer, covered, 10 minutes. Place fruit in jelly cloth or bag and squeeze out juice. For lemon juice, squeeze and strain juice from 2 medium lemons.
Measure sugar and fruit juices into large saucepan and mix.
Bring to a boil over hottest fire and at once add bottled fruit pectin, stirring constantly. Then bring to a full rolling boil and boil hard 1/2 minute.
Remove from fire, skim, pour quickly. Paraffin hot jelly at once. Makes about 10 glasses (6 fluid ounces each).

DECOTO GROUP ENJOYS TOUR OF NEARBY MISSION

DECOTO — The Decoto Discussion Group was most delightfully entertained by Mrs. L. Lawrence Clark and Mrs. Robert Whipple at the Clark home, on Friday noon, February 7. A dessert course of ice cream and cake was served by the hostesses. The tables were beautifully decorated in the Valentine motif.

One meeting a year on the Missions was the decision of the Group this year and this first meeting was a study of Mission San Jose, its history and romance. A very delightful and instructive introduction to this study was the showing of colored slides of the Missions by Principal Louis Musick. After a discussion of the history of Mission San Jose and the characters of note connected with it the entire group went to Mission San Jose to visit the museum and gardens.

The Group were conducted through the Convent grounds by the most gracious Sister Rosaria through whose lovely personality the works of art discussed by her gained an added spiritual beauty. Of special interest were the Shrine of Mater Dei and the new Stations of the Cross both conceived and executed by Sister Justine, a noted sculptress.

The Group then visited the Museum and the old cemetery where they found the mystery tomb of the Higuera. The original baptismal font of hammered copper now in the church was also of interest.

The next meeting will be a study of Love Stories of Old California by Mrs. Fremont Older. At this time the group will have the privilege of entertaining the author and listening to a talk by her on Experiences in History Hunting.

TUBERCULIN TESTS OFFERED CHILDREN AT IRVINGTON SCHOOL

IRVINGTON — After several months of effort on the part of the Parent-Teacher Association of the Irvington Grammar School, children of the school are to be given tuberculin tests and fluoroscopic tests by the Alameda County Health Department, assisted by the Alameda County Tuberculosis and Health Association.

This was the news brought to last Thursday's meeting by Dr. I. O. Church and E. P. Von Allmen, representing the above-mentioned groups.

The meeting was also the occasion for the annual Founders Day program with Mrs. Arthur Kraft, Mrs. William Laybourne, Mrs. Elsie Soito, Mrs. Wayne Day, Jack Prouty, Mrs. Robert S. Mayock, Robert Laybourne and Shirley Kraft taking part. Mrs. Godfrey, district vice-president gave a history of the P. T. A. movement.

After the meeting, which was conducted by Mrs. George Scamman, refreshments were served in the cafeteria.

— Trade at home! —

MEN NEEDED AS STENOGRAPHERS IN U. S. ARMY

SAN FRANCISCO — The opportunity of a lifetime is now offered young men here in Northern California thru enlistment directly for Recruiting Service, according to Colonel G. T. Perkins, District Recruiting Officer for the U. S. Army.

To qualify for this assignment the applicant must be a STENOGRAPHER or CLERK-TYPIST, while high school graduates are desired this is not absolutely necessary Colonel Perkins said, however, the usual qualifications for enlistment in the Regular Army will apply. The Colonel listed the following requirements: Citizens of the United States, between the ages of 18 and 35 years; Of good moral character; Good physique; In good health; and UNMARRIED.

Recruiting Service is the most desirable branch of the entire service the Colonel added, and it should appeal to young men interested in rapid advancement. Also there is another little matter which I would like to clarify, qualified young men may enlist for the Regular Army whether registered for Selective Service or not, provided they have not received their order to report for induction.

Young men, if you meet the above requirements call at your nearest Regular Army Recruiting

BIG LEAGUE HOOP CONTEST TO BE AIRED

Friday night Feb. 14 the California-UCLA game at Berkeley will be aired by Doug Montell over Station KROW, Oakland (930 kcys commencing at 8:15 p. m. The same evening Associated sportscaster Martin Hill will make the second game of the Santa Clara-St. Mary's series from San Francisco over Station KQW starting at 8:00 p. m.

Saturday Feb. 15 the second game of the UCLA-California series will come over Station KROW beginning at 8:15 p. m. with Doug Montell at the microphone.

The Stanford-USC series Feb. 14 and 15 at Los Angeles will be broadcast over Station KFWB, Los Angeles (950 kcys) with Associated sportscaster Frank Bull giving the play-by-play each night beginning at 8:00 p. m.

STOLEN CAR FOUND

A car reported stolen by Claude C. Riddle of Niles on January 17, was found at Mission San Jose last Saturday by Antone S. Escobar of Mission San Jose. The car had been run off a side road and abandoned.

Station and investigate this splendid opportunity. U. S. Army Recruiting Offices are located in Oakland and San Jose.

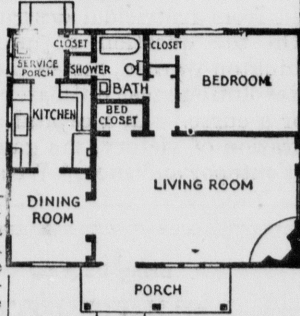
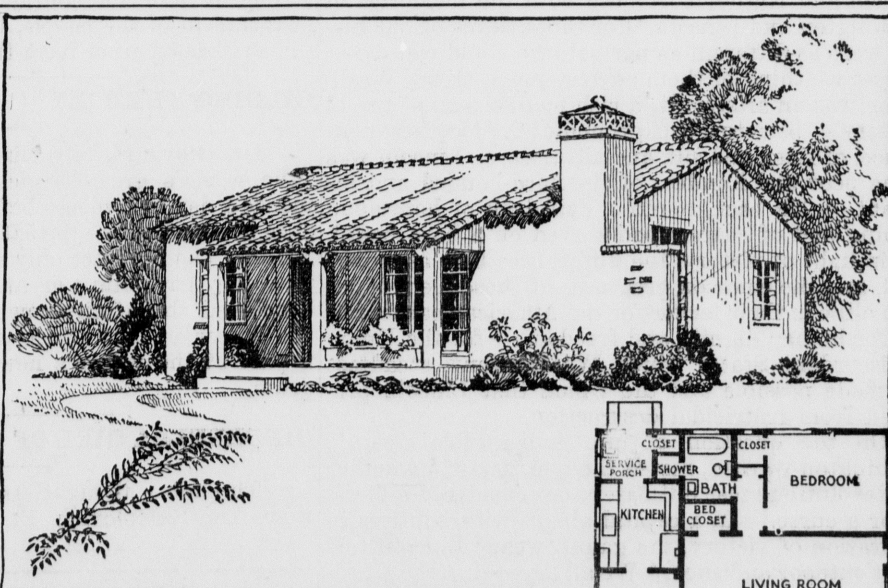
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This house is a complete little home along the Colonial Spanish type. Materials having the Hall Mark of Quality which do not require costly upkeep are recommended. Copper roofs have given centuries of satisfactory service throughout the world and it is suggested that copper be used. But, if another type of quality roof is specified, it is necessary to protect vital parts from leakage, therefore the valleys, flashings, gutters and downspouts should be copper.

The floor plan includes a well-proportioned living room with a typical Spanish-corner fireplace. A bed closet is provided so that the living room can readily be converted into a sleeping room for the night. A smaller dining room is conveniently located near the kitchen.

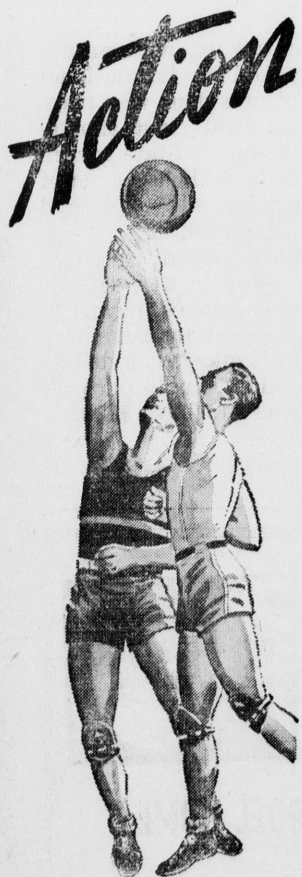
The rest of the floor area is efficiently divided into a bedroom, bathroom, kitchen and service porch.

Either brass pipe or copper tube is recommended for water lines. They will give long satisfactory service because they will not rust and will effectively withstand corrosion.

Bronze windows and either bronze or brass hardware should be included in the specifications. These not only add to the appearance of the home but will not be marred by rust.

country of approximately \$50,000-60,000 annually. To protect this home against the invasion of these insects, copper shields should be used.

Complete building plans and specifications are available for this house for \$1.00. Included with the plans is a cardboard cutout model of the house, architecturally drawn to scale. The model can be colored, and it will visualize for you exactly what the completed house will look like. Address your requests for plans and model to the editor of this newspaper or Ladies' Home Journal for Plan #346. Superintendent of Documents, Washington, D. C., has issued a booklet for 10 cents called "Principles of Planning Small Houses."



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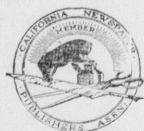
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PREPARATION FOR PEACE

Much of the news of any day has true meaning only when examined against the background of world or national events. It was reported last week that work opportunity in California has increased so fast that WPA officials are hard pressed to maintain their employment quotas. The combined total of 125,987 cases on the rolls of FSA, WPA and SRA is lower than at any time since large scale relief was begun.

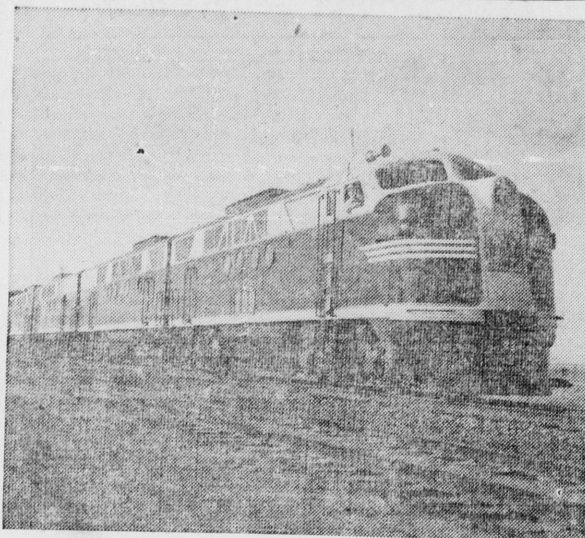
Considered separately, that news seems to spell the end of depression and of the unemployment problem. But actually it reflects, in great part, the artificial industrial expansion of the nation going on war footing. And that sort of expansion, unless prudent preparations for a return to industrial normalcy are made, tends toward eventual economic shock and unemployment chaos—as this nation sadly learned from the war boom of '18 and '19. Less spectacular news relative to employment was announced last week by the Pacific Gas & Electric Company: Contracts have been awarded for two hydro-electric plants on the Feather River, to cost \$27,000,000 with transmission lines. The company needs them to keep step with power requirements of Northern and Central California until 1945—but from the general economic point of view the fact that the construction work, for a period of three years to come, will occupy thousands of men in creating national wealth instead of consuming it, is the news angle of significance. All such industrial progress, and every announcement of employment in civilian industry, makes good news in these times. Men who are building California today are building for the long future. They are making the soundest preparation for peace.

LINCOLN AND WASHINGTON

Between February 12 and 22, the birthdays of Lincoln and Washington, the nation will observe Americanism Week together with National Defense Week. There is a symbolic fitness in coupling Americanism and National Defense with the memories of Washington and Lincoln. For those titans of our history were as different as normal men could well be—and yet we think of them as very much alike. Washington was an aristocrat; a rich man; a man of proud ancestry—born to a background of the niceties of existence, of linen and silk and silverware. Lincoln was of the poor and humble; of the hard-handed and inelegant—his background a dull drab of homespun clothing and of coarse food served on a bare board. But in light of history, the differences fade as superficial, and the common greatness of those men shines forth alike in their fervor for the American concept of life, for human dignity and freedom—for the Union of discordant States which Washington's steadfast will made possible and the Union that Lincoln preserved from fratricidal destruction.

On the question of an "indissoluble union", Washington warned, rested the question of "whether the Revolution must ultimately be considered a blessing or a curse." In a capital ablaze with bonfires in celebration of victory, the gaunt, weary Lincoln told a vast outdoor audience: "We all agree that the seced-

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ed States, so called, are out of their proper practical relation with the Union, and that the sole object of the Government . . . is to again get them into their proper practical relation. I believe that it is not only possible, but in fact easier, to do this without deciding whether those States have ever been out of the Union, than with it. Finding themselves safely at home, it would be utterly immaterial whether they had been abroad . . ." That was said on April 11, 1865. Three days later, on April 14, the assassin shot the gentleman who asked no punishment but only a reunited American democracy.

Washington and Lincoln stood for American solidarity and safety at all costs and against all enemies, from within or without. In these times, America does well to turn to those great and noble men for precept and inspiration.

BOY SCOUTS DO THEIR PART

Striking an encouraging note in the world unrest today has been the extended work of the Boy Scouts of America, the world's largest youth organization. The men and boys registered in this federally-chartered group have pledged themselves to follow a program of strengthening and invigorating democracy in the United States. A nine-point program stressing self-reliance and ability to react in times of emergency has been undertaken by more than a million and a half members of the Boy Scout Movement.

These twelve to sixteen year old boys, under the leadership of volunteer adult workers, are "learning by doing." Faced with practical situations demanding instantaneous and intelligent reactions these boys are receiving valuable training for emergency crises. In this preparation to act the Boy Scouts have pledged themselves to be "united with all lovers of freedom, whatever their tongue or origin. To keep our nation strong in valor and confident in freedom, so that the government of the people, by the people, for the people shall not perish from the earth."

GILDING THE LILY

Dr. Giovanni, billed in entertainment circles as "the world's greatest pickpocket", gave a performance a day or two ago before the most critical audience of his career—the 5,000 inmates of San Quentin Prison. The boys not only gave him their rapt attention; they gave him a great, big hand. Warden Duffy concluded the affair, however, by announcing that the doctor's performance was NOT to be considered a part of the prison's new vocational training program.

CINDERELLA GIRL OF 1941

Through a thoughtlessly cruel hoax by her brother, Ann Sklepovich, 13, whose birthday coincides

with President Roosevelt's, went to Washington last week on a faked "command visit" to the White House. Disillusionment and tears had come—when the President heard of it. Then Ann did have a "command visit" with the President, and she rode in state as queen of the President's birthday ball in a fairy coach drawn by a 120-horse power motor! There never has been a better Cinderella story. Truth is not only stranger than fiction—it can be lovelier too.

SLANG OF THE NEW ARMY

Every war produces its own brand of slang—tangy as ginger and with a kick almost alcoholic in force. Take Uncle Sam's new Army:

"A mustard played bingo with the ack-acks, thinking it would put him in solid with the horned toad when the eagle flies. What'd it get him? A yellow-ticket for risking his lovebird and getting sprayed with chatterbox confetti." That means, translated from '41 slang of the '41 army: "A young enthusiastic pilot risked anti-aircraft fire thinking it would win him favor with the ranking officer on pay rating. What did he accomplish? He was dishonorably discharged for risking his plane unnecessarily and for being sprayed with machine gun fire!"

Slang seems the pepper of the language—too much is unendurable, but it is perfect seasoning. Some of the new soldier slang will stick to enrich the language, no doubt. "Mystery", meaning hash, isn't bad; nor is "the eagle flies", meaning pay day. Most slang dies. But slang that chances to fit a vacant chink in a language may live on indefinitely. Anyone who says "I'll wager you did", or "care killed a cat", or "comparisons are odorous", or "laugh that off", or "go sell yourself to someone else"—directly quotes Shakespeare! The Army slang of '41 is as new as tomorrow morning; but out of the excitement and tenseness of training will come bits of language to be quoted centuries hence—flinty sparks of expression to live when this world crisis is dim history.

RE INCOME TAXES

The first World War, according to report, sprouted "war millionaires" in the United States by the baker's dozen, but if any ambitious or avaricious citizen is able to put away a million during the current emergency—after having it out with the income tax man—he will go down in history as a financial Houdini, no less!

Under the new income tax set up, with an additional 10 per cent surtax tacked on for national defense, any ingenious California resident who managed to make a million during 1940 must shortly pungle up \$859,952 to Uncle Sam and his State government. Out of his original million, he will have a net of exactly \$140,048 to pay alimony, buy a second-hand yacht and make a start on his second million.

Having thus disposed of any potential "war millionaires", it is time to consider what the new defense tax, piled on top of regular income taxes, means to Mr. Average Citizen. First off, exemptions have been lowered. A married couple will be allowed to deduct only \$2,000, instead of 2,500. And a single person's exemption has been lowered from \$1,000 to \$800.

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEES' SALE

WHEREAS, JOSEPH B. CANN and FRANCIS A. CANN, his wife, did make, execute and deliver a certain Deed of Trust to Jessie J. Almond and Florence J. Tennyson, as Trustees, and American Trust Company, a corporation, and Henry Z. Jones, Jr., joint trustees under the last will and testament of Henry Z. Jones, deceased, and under the decree of final distribution made and filed in the matter of the estate of said Henry Z. Jones, deceased, on the 27th day of September 1934, in those certain proceedings entitled "In the Superior Court of the state of California, in and for the county of Alameda, in the Matter of the Estate of Henry Z. Jones, also known as and sometimes called H. Z. Jones, deceased", proceeding No. 56800, as Beneficiaries, and recorded on the 27th day of November 1936 in Liber 3427 of Official Records, page 11, Alameda county records; and

WHEREAS, on the 11th day of October 1940 said Beneficiaries, by an instrument in writing, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, gave notice of their election to sell, or cause to be sold, the real property hereinafter and in said Deed of Trust described; and

WHEREAS, default has been made by the said Joseph B. Cann and Francis A. Cann, his wife, in the payment of the sums which have become due upon said note and obligations for which said Deed of Trust is security; and

WHEREAS, said American Trust Company, a corporation, and Henry Z. Jones, Jr., as Trustees of the trust in the last will and testament of Henry Z. Jones, deceased, the owners and holders of said promissory note, secured by said Deed of Trust, as Beneficiaries under said Deed of Trust, did, in accordance with the terms of the said Deed of Trust on the 11th day of October 1940 duly and regularly record in the office of the County Recorder of the county of Alameda, state of California, (said Alameda county being the county in which the land described in said Deed of Trust is situated,) in Liber 3945 of Official Records, at page 466 thereof, a Notice of the Breach of the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust and of their election to cause the real property described in said Deed of Trust to be sold to satisfy said obligation; and

WHEREAS, not less than three (3) months have elapsed since the recording of said Notice;

NOW, THEREFORE, in accordance with the terms and conditions and under the authority of said Deed of Trust, Jessie J. Almond and Florence J. Tennyson, trustees under said Deed of Trust, hereby give notice that default has been made in the payment of the sums which have become due under said note and obligation, for which said Deed of Trust is security, and that on the 25th day of February 1941, at the hour of ten o'clock A.M. of said day, at the steps of the Main Entrance of the New Court House on Fallon Street, between Twelfth and Thirteenth Streets, in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda,

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state of California, Jessie J. Almond and Florence J. Tennyson, Trustees as aforesaid, will sell, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, in lawful money of the United States, the real property described in said Deed of Trust and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Said real property is situate in the Township of Washington, county of Alameda, state of California, and bounded and particularly described as follows:

Lots Numbered 6 and 7, in Block Numbered 22, East of Southern Pacific Railroad Track, as said lots and block are delineated and so designated upon that certain Map entitled "Map of the Town of Newark, Alameda county, Calif. Surveyed by T. P. Wilson, C. E. 1876" filed May 6, 1936, in the office of the County Recorder of Alameda county.

TERMS OF SALE: Lawful money of the United States of America.

Said American Trust Company, a corporation, and Henry Z. Jones, Jr., Trustees of the Trust in the last will and testament of Henry Z. Jones, deceased, being the owners and holders of said promissory note and the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust, or any other person, may purchase at said sale.

Dated: January 25th 1941, in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, state of California.

Jessie J. Almond
Florence J. Tennyson
Trustees

Ralph Coffey
Attorney for Trustees
1212 Broadway
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 76584 Department 4
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the Undersigned Executor of the Last Will and Testament of ROSE ALBERT, also known as ROSIE ALBERT, deceased, to all persons having claims against said decedent, to, within six months after the first publication of this Notice, either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, or exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, to me at the Law Office of E. A. Quaresma, Irvington, Alameda County, California, which place the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate. Dated and first published this 24 day of January, 1941.

FRANK ALBERT, Jr.,
Executor aforesaid
E. A. QUARESMA
Irvington, California
Attorney for said Executor
Published in The Township Register, Niles, January 24, 31, February 7, 14, 21, 1941.

VALENTINE PARTY TO BE FEATURED AT ICELAND RINK

BERKELEY — Northern California's first community "Valentine Party on Ice" is announced for Berkeley's spacious Iceland rink next Friday evening, February 14. The rink is located at Ward and Milvia streets in Berkeley.

Headlining the cast of nine colorful acts is Robin Scott, world famous professional figure skater. Scott has recently returned from Phoenix, Arizona, where he starred in the first ice show that State has ever had. Scott will do a pair display of precision skating with a fellow professional, Benny Randall. Football Coach Leonard B. Allison, Mayor Frank S. Gaines and Judge Oliver Youngs, of Berkeley, will preside as judges of the costume event, awarding prizes for the best costumes displayed.

The affair will be open to the public and under the direction of a group of University of California students, working in cooperation with Berkeley civic leaders.

Festivities will get under way at 8:15 with a grand march led by five-year old Susie Hirst as Queen of Hearts and a popular member of the Campus, Miss Beth Lesser, as the Valentine Queen. Coed members of the Alpha Gamma Delta will act as ladies of the court.

Specialty skating numbers by outstanding figure skaters will be presented between periods for public entertainment. Polly Blodgett, Boston sociality, will dance a rumba on ice. Oakland's Beverly Licht, 1940 Novice Champion, will do a solo, and Pacific Coast Pair Champions June Rasmussen and Bill Udell will do their winning routine.

In the lighter vein, Iceland staff members will stage a bull fight with an all-star cast under Thomas La Vonne. La Vonne will do his smooth specialty in top hat and tails. The members of the Iceland Dance Club will offer a dance number.

NILES LOCALS

R. E. Brown, Pacific Coast sales manager of an electro-metalurgical sales company was slated as speaker at the luncheon meeting of the Niles Rotary Club at the Hotel Belvoir yesterday. John Stojanovic was to serve as program chairman.

Jack Blacow, branch manager of the Alvarado branch of the Central Bank underwent an operation at Peralta Hospital in Oakland last week. He is reported improving satisfactorily and hopes to be at home next week.

Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Dawson hope to be in their new home on Second Street next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Robbins of the California Nursery Company are now settled in their new home in Old Adobe Acres.

Mrs. Dora Mae Scudder entertained a few friends in honor of Lt. and Mrs. Jolly Batcheler at dinner at her cottage at the Hotel Belvoir last Saturday night. The Batchelers who have been extensively entertained during the past week will leave next Wednesday for Paso Robles where Lt. Batcheler will be stationed with the U. S. Field Artillery.

A state income tax collector will be at the Central Bank in Niles all day next Tuesday, February 18, Manager R. A. Blacow announces.

The Centerville Elementary School Junior Traffic Reserve attended the Niles Theatre on Thursday evening, January 30, and enjoyed the picture, "The Howards of Virginia." The squad was accompanied by its director, Principal Thomas P. Maloney, Mamoru Hamachi, and James Nunes.

A fire at the home of Mrs. George Oliveira on School street Tuesday morning started from the furnace but no damage was done, according to Fire Chief Tony Alves whose department answered the alarm.

Four members of the choir of the Corpus Christi church are attending a class taught by Father Edgar Boyle on the Gregorian chant in San Francisco each Monday night for the next two months. Those attending are Mrs. Marguerite Crane, Mrs. Rose Vieux, Yvonne Vieux and Lorraine Peterson.

BANKERS OFFER TRIPS FOR HIGH SCHOOL WINNERS

With a vacation trip to Hawaii as a reward for the winner, the California Bankers Association today (February 11) announced its statewide high school public speaking contest on "The Responsibility of American Citizenship."

"The sole purpose of this contest," according to R. A. Blacow, manager, Central Bank, speaking for the bankers of Niles, "is to stimulate among the youth of California a deeper appreciation of the principles, ideals and responsibilities of American Citizenship."

Each student will be given an opportunity to choose his subject from a wide variety of vital and timely topics directly related to the contest theme. These include:

Youth's Responsibility in National Defense — Keeping Faith with America — Can American Youth Meet the Challenge of Foreign Isms? — Responsibility for the Cost of Self Government — The Civic Duties of Youth — Requirements of a Free People — American Youth and the Maintenance of Free Enterprise — New Frontiers for American Youth — Youth's Responsibility in a Democracy — What Do I Offer America?

In addition to the Hawaiian trip, vacations at Camp Curry in Yosemite Valley, Aetna Springs in Napa county and Catalina Island will be given other winners. Parents will enjoy these prizes too, as each student winning a vacation trip may invite a parent to accompany him. Silver trophies will be presented to the students winning regional championships, while county and zone winners will receive gold medals. Each student participating in the contest will receive an honor award bearing an inspiring charge of citizenship.

The championship finals will be held in the auditorium of the Veterans War Memorial Building, San Francisco, on the evening of May 9.

Last year's contest was won by Miss Iola Whitlock of Shasta Union High School, Redding, in competition with 14,000 students from 296 high schools. Second place went to Manuel Rogers of Fowler Union High School, Fowler; and third to Bryant Smith, Monrovia-Arcadia-Duarte Union High School, Monrovia.

Rains on the upper levels over the weekend made Alameda Creek boom as it passed by Niles the first of this week.

AMERICAN WEEK TO BE OBSERVED FEBRUARY 12 TO 22

LOS ANGELES—Robert Wayne Burns, National Youth Administrator for California, today proclaimed a general observance of Americanism Week from February 12 to 22 for all NYA workers. "It is most fitting that the period from Lincoln's Birthday to Washington's Birthday should be designated as Americanism Week," Burns observed at a press conference here. "The California NYA is proud to join the Junior Chamber of Commerce and other similar organizations all over the nation in the observance of Americanism Week," he stated.

Officials of veterans organizations will be invited to visit NYA projects as a part of NYA observance of Americanism Week.

It is the desire of Administrator Burns that all California NYA youth will enter into the spirit of Americanism Week. "They should be looking forward to the part they intend to play in the development of a better and a greater America," said Burns who spent 14 months fighting for democracy as a machine gunner during World War I.

Effective next Monday the Central Bank at Niles will open an hour later, advancing opening time from 9 a.m. to 10. The hours will be from 10 to 12 and 1 to 3 o'clock, the re-arrangement being caused by the wages and hours law.

Mrs. Don Cruzan of Oakland was in Niles last weekend to attend the production of "Family Portrait" at the Washington Union High school.

Half a dozen members of the choir of the Niles Congregational church enjoyed a roller skating party Monday night at Irvington.

Lt. and Mrs. Allen Shinn and sons visited at the home of Lt. Shinn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Shinn this past week, enroute from Seattle to San Diego. Lt. Shinn is with the U. S. Navy air force.

A Valentine Party will be given by the Martha Sanford Circle at the Niles Congregational church next Friday evening beginning at 7:30 o'clock in the Guild room. Lots of fun is in store.

Thomas L. Phillips, recently promoted chief engineer of the Western Pacific Railroad, was resident construction engineer at Niles from 1905 to 1908, according to word sent this newspaper.

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What many California drivers need, comments James M. Carter, director of motor vehicles, is less horse power and more horse sense.

People usually know it is time to buy a new car when everything on the old one makes a noise but the horn.

Drivers who live to see 80, never look for it on their speedometers.

Dr. Paul A. Lum, recently from Merced County, will take over the practice of Dr. G. S. Heleman in Centerville while the doctor and his wife are enjoying a month's pleasure and professional trip to Cuba.

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Winter sports are the vogue in Yosemite Valley and the hundreds who visit Hotel Abwabnee and Yosemite Lodge in the winter season have a variety of winter sports including sleighing, skating, skiing and tobogganing. Picture above shows a couple enjoying a ride in an old-fashioned horse drawn sled with their Mercury car parked on the highway. Below is Mercury 8 (left) and Lincoln Zephyr (right) leaving the Abwabnee en route to Badger Pass and a day of skiing. Insets show a snow sport enthusiast, Miss Patricia Twoby, coming out of snow covered igloo and above taking part in a snow ball fight. The Mercury furnished for the trip by the Ford Motor Company, Richmond Branch, because of its notable economy and surplus of power proved ideal for the trip, covering the distance to Yosemite both speedily and thriftily, and providing exceptional riding ease.

SERVICES HELD FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF MASONIC HOME

DECOTO — Funeral service were held Saturday morning at the Masonic Home at Decoto for Frank B. Hartman, superintendent of the home for 31 years. Cremation followed at the Oakland crematorium under the direction of Sorensen Brothers Mortuary of Hayward.

The services were conducted by Lloyd Wilson, grand master of the California Masons with a vocal solo by Mrs. Virginia Lord of the home. Pall bearers were from the Alameda Lodge at Hayward with Fred Montell, Jack Prouty, R. A. Griffin, H. M. Kibby, Arthur Bidle and Warren E. Gravestock as pall bearers.

A meeting of the board of trustees will be held in San Francisco this week to select a successor to Hartman and in the meantime Mrs. Minnie Richardson, matron, has charge.

DECOTO EXPECTS NEW LIBRARY BUILDING

DECOTO — Residents of Decoto are hopeful that construction will start before long on a new library building, due to a grant of \$1,000 from the Homes and Children's Alliance in Oakland and promise of the supervisors to sponsor an NYA construction program. The Boosters Club and the Library Association are working to raise funds to buy the lot for the new building.

On the building committee are Mrs. Elsa Walker, librarian, and president of the association, Mrs. Emma Amaral, Mrs. Herbert Harrold, Principal L. W. Musick and Manuel Seane.

CLUTCH WEARERS

A damaging practice to the clutch is keeping it disengaged while waiting for traffic to move or a signal to change, reports the National Automobile Club. He warns: "this is the quickest way to burn it out. Put the gears in neutral and use the clutch only when you need it."



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PUBLIC CARD PARTY

CENTERVILLE—The St. James Men's Club of the St. James Episcopal church of Centerville will give a public card party at Memorial Hall tonight and the public is invited. Refreshments will be served. Those in charge of arrangements are President Joe Adams, Joe Shepherd and Walter Rogers.

FARM HOME MEMBERS FEEL NEW IMPORTANCE

NEWARK — A new importance in the program of the Farm Home Department was felt by members of the Alameda County Committee which met at the home of Mrs. Ray Truscott in Newark last Wednesday for luncheon and an all-day meeting, after a talk by Miss Fleda Smith, assistant State leader of home demonstration of the University of California.

Mrs. Charles Sweet, chairman, presided and the luncheon was prepared by Mrs. Lean Bertolotti, Mrs. Marian Zwissig and Mrs. Mae Souza. Ernest Schween, secretary of the Alameda County Fair Association was also a speaker and told of plans for participation by the women in the 1941 fair.

The afternoon was spent in planning a two-year program for the Farm Home Department, Miss Smith pointing out that the national emergency would lend new importance to work of the farm home centers in planning food, clothing, home management, etc.

Mothers should enlist the aid of the entire family in returning interest to the home, she said. The comfort and attractiveness of the home, improvement of the garden and outdoor living room, sufficient storage space in the kitchen, home and community recreation were among the points stressed.

UNIQUE VODVIL OFFERED SOON AT HIGH SCHOOL

CENTERVILLE — Twenty-five acts will be included in the vodvil of the Washington Union High School to be given at the school next Thursday and Friday nights, February 20 and 21. As is always customary full houses are expected both nights.

This year's program will be an extravaganza of scenes ranging all the way from jungle scenes to sophisticated song and dance numbers with a double stage and Joe Lewis' jazz orchestra furnishing incidental music. There will be a verse speaking choir giving "The Congo."

Hawaiian dances, skits and pantomimes, colorful costumes, laughs and in short every conceivable type of entertainment guaranteed to be "stupendous, breathtaking and awe-inspiring." Tumblers, dancers, whistlers, comedians, vocalists and what-have-you will compete for interest. The entire faculty is directing the more than 100 students who will take part.

34 SOLDIERS TO LEAVE MONDAY

NILES — Thirty-four men from Southern Alameda County will leave the Western Pacific Depot at Niles next Friday morning at 5:33 a.m. for San Francisco where they will be inducted into the selective service conscription of the U. S. Army, according to Judge Allen G. Norris, chairman of Draft Board No. 75.

VISITORS ENJOY RECREATIONAL FACILITIES OF FORESTS HERE

SAN FRANCISCO — More than 10,000,000 people visited the national forests of California during 1940, according to Regional Forester S. B. Show, in charge of the California Region of the United States Forest Service.

Four and a half million of these visitors used the camp and picnic grounds, winter sports areas, resorts and summer homes. The remaining five and a half million visitors motored through the forests to enjoy the scenery, and an additional 25,000,000 people passed through enroute to other destinations.

This number of recreation seekers represents an increase of 15 per cent over 1939, which indicates that the public is becoming increasingly aware of the outing attractions in California's national forests.

Greatest single increase occurred in the number of winter sports enthusiasts. During 1940, one-third more snow fans used the facilities of 50 winter sports areas in the national forests than in 1939.

Visitors actually using the forest accommodations included 1,441,000 picnickers, 1,363,000 overnight campers, 652,000 resort guests, 601,000 winter sports participants, and 480,000 summer home owners and guests. Included in this list are 755,000 fishermen and 350,000 hunters.

Though the scenic attractions do have a major effect on the number of users in the various national forests, accessibility and proximity to centers of population are even more important. This is shown by the fact that the four national forests of southern California — the Angeles, San Bernardino, Cleveland and Los Padres Forests, which surround the Los Angeles metropolitan region, received 5,331,000 visitors, or more than half of all of California's national forest visitors. The central Sierra Nevada group of national forests, including the Sequoia, Inyo, Mono, Sierra, Stanislaus, Eldorado and Tahoe, had 4,099,000 visitors. The northern group of forests, the Plumas, Lassen, Shasta, Trinity, Modoc, Mendocino and Klamath National Forests, contains some of the finest scenery and recreational opportunities of any in the California Region. But because of their relative inaccessibility and the distance from metropolitan areas, these forests had the smallest number of visitors — a total of 653,000.

Recreational use of forests in the California Region far exceeds that of any other state or federal forest region in the United States. To meet this immense demand in California, the Forest Service maintains 1300 improved free public camp grounds and 50 winter sports areas.

The Forest Service also has established 18 large areas in the high country which are being retained in their wilderness condition for the benefit of that portion of the public who desire to get back to nature.

MARIA C. J. SILVA GIVEN FINAL RITES IN SAN JOSE MONDAY

MISSION SAN JOSE — Maria C. J. Silva, 79, of Mission San Jose was given final rites at San Jose on Monday. She died last Friday after a lingering illness. She was the wife of Jose Silva and was a native of the Azores. She had resided here for 35 years. She was the mother of Mrs. Felomena Souza of Mission San Jose, Mrs. Albertina Furtado of Sunnyvale and was survived also by nine grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. She was a member of the Mission San Jose U. P. P. E. C., No. 16.

Requiem mass was said at the Five Wounds church in San Jose with interment at Calvary cemetery. The Rosary was recited at the Rancadore and Alameda funeral chapel Sunday night.

TRIAL SET MARCH 14

CENTERVILLE — J. S. Wilbur of Lodi, charged with petty theft growing out of alleged collections from the Williams Brothers wine company in Centerville will appear here for trial on March 14, almost a year after he is said to have collected money as advance payment on proposed sales. W. Burdette Williams, complainant, claims that Wilbur not only failed to make any sales for the company but was representing another wine company at the same time.

NEW Y. L. I. UNIT FORMED TUESDAY AT IRVINGTON

TWO HUNDRED & FIFTY MEMBERS WITNESS ORGANIZATION OF BRANCH

IRVINGTON — Two hundred and 50 members of the Young Ladies Institute from neighboring cities witnessed the organization of a new branch of the Y. L. I., St. Jude's Institute No. 162 at Irvington last Tuesday night.

Thirty-one members were initiated and the following officers were installed: Past president, Beatrice Enos; president, Ann Rose; first vice president, Anne Perry; second vice president, Marie Williams; marshal, Isabelle Maciel; recording secretary, Esther Goularte; financial secretary, Mary Frates; treasurer, Louise Kohlmoos; inside sentinel, Amelia Amaral; outside sentinel, Dorothy Melio; organist, Eldora Perry; Trustees, Minnie Silva, Aldina Leal, Gertrude Mozetti, Lucille Day, Mary Rose. Others initiated were Ludvena Hirsch, Rose Escobar, June Gomes, Emma Enos, Marie Feliciano, Leotina Leal, Mamie Medeiros, Marie Silveira, Winifred Fernandez, May Lillian Francis, Adeline Harvey, Irene Harvey, Clara Amaral, Ann Josephine Silva and Minnie Garcia. The prospective members of the new institute had received Holy Communion in a group at the 8:30 a.m. mass in Mission San Jose on the preceding Sunday with Father Rose officiating.

Ritualistic ceremonies at the institution of the new group were conducted by Grand President Bernice Etcheber, Past Grand President Adlyne Rodgers, Grand Second Vice President Mary O'Brien, Grand Organist Marguerite Crane, Grand Secretary Florentine Schage, Grand Treasurer Mary Mc Carthy, Grand Inside Sentinel Valda Britsch, Grand Directors Lorraine Jones, Claire Erasmay, Marie Harper, Kathryn Bailey, Margaret Gunn. The installation ceremonies were conducted by Grand Organizer Past Grand President Gertrude Dooley.

Following the meeting in the Leal hall, refreshments were served by the following members of DeGuadalupe Institute No. 74 at Niles: Mrs. Madeline Santos, Mrs. Mary Souza, Mrs. Nell Rogers, Mrs. Elsie Madruga, Mrs. Emma Quaresma and Mrs. Nora Rogers. The meeting hall was decorated in calla lilies, daffodils and other spring blossoms.

Among the honored guests were Father Rose of Mission San Jose, Father Timothy Hennessy of Niles and Father Mueller of Antioch. Delegations were present from California No. 1, Dolores No. 7, Carmel No. 2, Junipera Serra No. 65, Del Mar No. 66, all of San Francisco; Oakland No. 15, Gleeson No. 100, Noel No. 113, Isle City No. 51, Berkeley No. 58, St. Joseph No. 60, Livermore No. 44, DeGuadalupe No. 74, San Jose No. 32, St. Rita's No. 81, St. Clares No. 119 of Santa Clara County and Antioch No. 101, Teresita No. 123 from Pittsburg, Notre Dame No. 124 from Redwood City and the president of Our Lady of the Snows Institute No. 157, Ely, Nevada, Mrs. Pearl Monaghan.

All Catholic women of the Mission San Jose parish are invited to join the new institute, full information to be received from President Anne Rose or Recording Secretary Esther Goularte.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mahaffy attended a wedding reception in Pleasanton on Sunday evening honoring Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Smith who were married recently.

PLAY DAY FRIDAY

Several hundred grammar school students from Southern Alameda County are expected to spend tomorrow at the Niles Grammar School for an all-day program of games and athletic contests under the direction of WPA recreational leaders. Each child will bring his own lunch and local leaders, Mrs. A. C. Augustine, Charles Linds and Miss Dolores Sanchez will have charge.

TOYON BRANCH PLANS ANNUAL SANDWICH SALE

Chairmen for the annual sandwich sale by Toyon Branch of the Children's Hospital in connection with the bulb show which will open March 8, were appointed at the home of Mrs. Edna Overacker Monday afternoon with Mrs. James R. Whipple, chairman in charge. Mrs. Walter Wanyflete was received as a new member and plans were made for the next meeting on March 10, at the home of Mrs. Walter Briggs in Oakland, this to be a basket lunch affair.

Mrs. Bob Whipple was appointed to contact the Toyon Berries who will assist with the sandwich sale and chairmen were appointed to serve as follows:

March 8, 9 — Mrs. William H. Ford, Mrs. Gladys Williamson.

March 15, 16 — Mrs. T. D. Withery, Mrs. Anna Sladek and Mrs. Edna Overacker.

March 22, 23 — Mrs. Rosalie Donovan, Mrs. Overacker and Mrs. Sladek.

March 29, 30 — Mrs. Walter Robie, Mrs. F. A. Muller, Mrs. Charles Dana and Mrs. Ford.

April 5, 6 — Miss Mildred Nauert.

April 12, 13 — Mrs. Joe Shinn, Jr., and Mrs. Bob Whipple.

The annual rummage sale was set for April 25 and 26, the garden party for May 24, and the harvest festival for September.

Mrs. Overacker was appointed to assist Mrs. Whipple as general chairman.

MRS. MARY DEQUADROS OF CENTERVILLE INTERRED YESTERDAY

CENTERVILLE — Mrs. Mary E. deQuadros, 66, was given final rites yesterday at the Chapel of the Palms with mass said at the Holy Ghost church and interment made in the Holy Ghost cemetery. The Rosary was recited at the chapel Sunday night.

The deceased died at her home on North Main Street Saturday after a long illness. She is survived by her husband, Manuel deQuadros and a son, Leland. She was a native of Carmel and was a member of the S. P. R. S. I. Council No. 30, of Santa Cruz and the Macabees of Niles.

TWO HEARINGS SET

Reno Quartaroli, charged with felony hit run, was granted another continuance at last Friday's session of the Niles Justice Court and will appear on February 21 for a hearing. Also to appear at this time is Carl Covello of Patterson, alleged fictitious check writer.

COUNTY EDUCATORS TO MEET SATURDAY AT HOTEL OAKLAND

The Alameda County Educational Association will hold its Twenty third annual luncheon meeting on Saturday, February 15 at the Hotel Oakland at twelve noon. Guests at the luncheon will include the State Legislators from Alameda County, Members of the Board of Supervisors, representatives from Parent Teachers' Associations, and Dads' Clubs and the District Attorney of Alameda County.

Mr. Edgar E. Muller, County Superintendent of Schools, will bring greetings to the association from the County Office, and Mr. Vaughan MacCaughy, Editor of the Sierra Educational News, will bring greetings to the Association from the California Teachers' Association.

The address will be given by Honorable Gardiner Johnson, Assemblyman representing the Nineteenth District. The title of his speech will be, "What Does The Legislature Think of Educators?" Following the Luncheon there will be a business meeting for the purpose of giving reports, electing officers, and adopting resolutions.

A. J. Rathbone of Centerville is president of the association.

TOWNSHIP PRODUCES \$275 FOR PARALYSIS

Washington Township has turned in a total of \$275.53 for the march of dimes in the infantile paralysis campaign, according to Ed. Enos, co-chairman with A. J. Rathbone. Niles committees collected \$99.88; the Niles theater, \$60 and the Centerville committees, \$115.65.

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